



PATENT  
674522-2001.1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : EPSTEIN, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/478,621  
For : **INHIBITING DEVELOPMENT OF  
MICROVESSELS WITHIN CORONARY OR  
PERIPHERAL VESSEL WALLS FOR  
RESTENOSIS/ATHEROSCLEROSIS  
PREVENTION OR THERAPY**  
Filed : January 5, 2000  
Art Unit : 1646  
Examiner : D. Jiang

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**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative

*Thomas J. Kowalski*  
Signature  
November 19, 2002

Date of Signature

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for the reply to the May 20, 2002 Office Action  
be extended by three months, i.e., to up to and including November 20, 2002. Enclosed is a  
check in the amount of \$460.00, corresponding to the small entity fee. The Commissioner is

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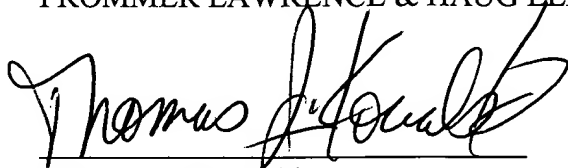
hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

This Petition for a three-month extension of time is being filed together with a Notice of Appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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